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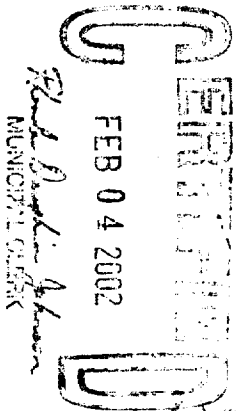
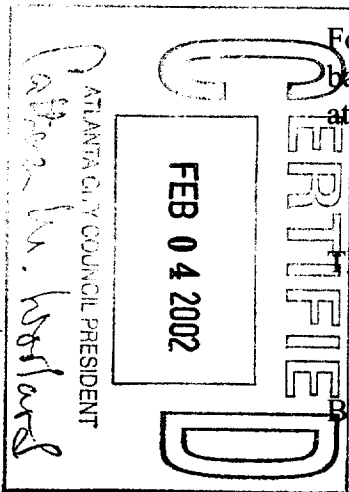
CLAIM OF: **TERRY E. JONES**
281 Holly Road, NW
Atlanta, Georgia 30314

02-R-0136

For damages alleged to have been sustained as a result of sewage
backing up into claimant's garage and basement on March 24, 2001
at 281 Holly Road NW.

THIS ADVERSE REPORT IS APPROVED

BY: Rosalind Rubens Newell
ROSALIND RUBENS NEWELL
DEPUTY CITY ATTORNEY



ADVERSED BY
CITY COUNCIL FEB 04 2002

ADVERSE REPORT

COMM: Public Safety

DATE: Jan 29 2002

CHAIR: [Signature]

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February 13, 2002

Terry E. Jones
281 Holly Road, NW
Atlanta, GA 30314

02-R-0136

Dear Mr. Jones:

I sincerely regret that you have been adversely affected by the circumstances raised in your claim for damages against the City of Atlanta. Your time and patience in this matter has been greatly appreciated.

However, I must notify you that the Atlanta City Council Adopted an Adverse Report on your claim at its regular meeting on February 4, 2002. In consultation with the City's Law Department, who conducted an investigation of the situation, the Council has determined that the City cannot accept responsibility for this matter and therefore cannot pay this claim.

If you desire any further information, please contact the City Attorney's Office/Claims Division at (404) 330-6400.

Sincerely,

Rhonda Dauphin Johnson, CMC
Municipal Clerk

cc: Claims Division/Law Department

DEPARTMENT OF LAW - CLAIM INVESTIGATION SUMMARY

Claim No. 01L0264

Date: 01/07/02

Claimant /Victim TERRY E. JONES

BY: (Atty) _____

Address: 281 Holly Road, NW Atlanta, Georgia 30314

Subrogation: _____ Claim for Property damage \$ Unspecified Bodily Injury \$ _____

Date of Notice: 4/4/01 Method: Written, proper X Improper _____

Conforms to Notice: O.C.G.A. §36-33-5 X Ante Litem (6 Mo.) X

Date of Occurrence 3/24/01 Place: 281 Holly Road, NE

Department Public Works Division: Sewer Operations

Employee involved _____ Disciplinary Action _____

NATURE OF CLAIM: The claimant alleges that he sustained property damage when sewage from a City of Atlanta sewer line backed up and overflowed into his home causing damage to his garage and basement. The City did not have notice of any mainline problems at this location prior to the March 24, 2001 occurrence. The City is immune from liability as set forth in O.C.G.A. §36-33-1.

INVESTIGATION:

Statements: City employee X Claimant _____ Other X Written X Oral _____

Pictures _____ Diagrams _____ Reports: Police _____ Dept Report X Other _____

Traffic citations issued: City Driver _____ Claimant Driver _____

Citation disposition: City Driver _____ Claimant Driver _____

BASIS OF RECOMMENDATION:

Function: Governmental X Ministerial _____

Improper Notice _____ More than Six Months _____ Other _____ Damages reasonable _____

City not involved _____ Offer rejected _____ Compromise settlement _____

Repair/replacement by Ins. Co. _____ Repair/replacement by City Forces X


Claimant Negligent _____ City Negligent _____ Joint _____ Claim Abandoned _____

Respectfully submitted,


INVESTIGATOR - ALEXIS HOLMES

RECOMMENDATION:

Pay \$ _____ Adverse X Account charged: 1A01 _____ 2J01 _____ 2H01 _____

Claims Manager:  Concur/date 01-14-02

Committee Action: _____ Council Action _____

RCS# 3449
2/04/02
4:05 PM

Atlanta City Council

Regular Session

CONSENT I

Pages 1 thru 6: Except 02-O-0004;
02-R-0005;02-O-0006;02-R-0193;02-R-0105
ADOPT

YEAS: 14
NAYS: 0
ABSTENTIONS: 0
NOT VOTING: 2
EXCUSED: 0
ABSENT 0

SEE ATTACHED LISTING OF
ITEMS ADOPTED/ADVERSED
ON CONSENT AGENDA

Y Smith	NV Archibong	Y Moore	Y Mitchell
Y Starnes	Y Fauver	Y Martin	Y Norwood
Y Young	Y Shook	Y Maddox	Y Willis
Y Winslow	Y Muller	Y Boazman	NV Woolard

ITEM (S) REMOVED FROM
CONSENT AGENDA
02-R-0105
02-R-0193

CORRECTED COPY

CONSENT I

02/04/02 Council Meeting

**ITEMS ADOPTED ON
CONSENT AGENDA**

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CONSENT AGENDA**

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